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Title:	<b>Method for the Production of Evolved Microorganisms which Permit the Generation or Modification of Metabolic Pathways</b>	Group Art Unit: 1633

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop **Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 20, 2007, the Applicant elects Group II, claims 13 and 14 for examination. This response is timely filed within one (1) month of the mailing date of the present Restriction Requirement. Therefore, no fees are considered due at this time.

**Claims Listing** is reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.